

CAMP IS SWEEPED AWAY BY FLOOD

Five Men Lose Their Lives as a Result of Breaking of Large Dam.

Immense Volume of Water Rushed Down the Canyon, Sweeping Everything Before It—Men Were Engaged in Sheep Shearing.

Reno, Nev.—A special to the Gazette says that the most disastrous flood that has occurred in Nevada for many years took place in Golconda, a small town about 200 miles from here. It was caused by the breaking of the large dam in Pole Creek canyon, three miles above the shearing corral of the Golconda Cattle company. Five men were drowned and several are badly injured.

When the dam broke an immense volume of water poured down the canyon, carrying everything before it. When it struck the sheep shearing corral there were a number of men at work and all of these were carried away with the flood. Not a building or fence of the Golconda Cattle company was left standing. The track of the Southern Pacific railroad was undermined for a mile west of the town, and all trains are from eight to twelve hours late.

The dead are three Mexican sheep shearers, a Chinese cook and an Indian boy. All were employed by the Golconda Cattle company. The injured are suffering from congested lungs due to swallowing water and mud, and one will probably die.

OUTBREAK IN GUATEMALA.

Revolutionists Trying to Overthrow Government in Little Republic.

Washington.—Guatemala is threatened with a revolution which may endanger American interests in the republic, according to dispatches received at the state department from Minister Combs and Schwartz & Co., an American concern owning railway and dock properties in Guatemala. The scene of the trouble is in the northern part of the republic, near the Mexican frontier, but the cause is internal.

Troops are being massed by the revolutionists in such numbers that foreigners with property interests in the republic are much alarmed.

Unrest has prevailed in the little republic for some time, and the state department has had intimations from time to time that a revolutionary insurrection movement might be expected.

The Guatemalan minister, Mr. Mexico City.—Revolutionary troops have crossed the Guatemalan border from the north and from Salvador and British Honduras. They are well armed. The stated object of these expeditions is to Americanize Guatemala.

NOT READY TO REPORT.

Further Hearings in Coal and Oil Cases Will Be Necessary.

Washington.—The reports of the interstate commerce commission of its findings in connection with the recent hearings in Philadelphia, Washington and Cleveland on the subjects of coal and oil will not be prepared for some time and may not be ready in time for presentation to congress at its present session. Further hearings will be necessary before the commission will be in a position to report its conclusions.

Delaware Legislature Will Try to Elect a Senator.

Dover, Del.—Governor Lea issued a formal call for a special session of the Delaware legislature, to convene at Dover on May 31. The chief purpose is to ballot for a United States senator to fill the existing vacancy. The belief prevails that the deadlock on the senatorship, which has existed for more than two years, will be broken, and that the state will again be represented by its full quota in the upper branch of congress.

Court Did Not Reverse Itself.

Washington.—The supreme court of the United States on Monday reiterated its decision of last term in the Philippines case of Warner, Baner & Co., and Frederic W. Lincoln, involving the validity of tariff collections in the Philippine lands under the executive order of 1897. The opinion was delivered by Chief Justice Fuller. This was the second decision in these cases, which have become somewhat famous because of the determined effort of the government to secure a reversal of the court by itself.

Cargo From the Orient.

Los Angeles.—The first cargo of goods to arrive at San Pedro from Asia is now on its way east. The goods were brought in the steamer Hercules and were shipped over the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake route. They consisted of nutmegs, mace, sheepskins, feathers and capoe, and were consigned to Minneapolis, St. Louis, Chicago, Kansas City and New York. Although this is the first cargo received at San Pedro from Asia there was no celebration.

BOTH SIDES ARMING IN THE CZAR'S DOMAIN

Civil War Regarded as Inevitable and Whole Country Seems Likely to be Deluged in Blood.

St. Petersburg.—Grave news comes from the provinces. Instead of acting as a sedative, the assembling of parliament has been marked by an alarming increase in revolutionary agitation and terrorist activity on the one hand and of black hundred activity on the other. The extremists of both sides are thus divided into two hostile camps, and both are arming as if preparing for an inevitable civil war. Sanguinary conflicts continue to be reported. A sequel of the clash at Archangel, May 24, when the black hundred fired fifty revolver shots, killing one man and seriously wounding three, came Saturday night, when a black hundred member who participated in the affair was waylaid and murdered by social revolutionists.

The social democrats are working with might and main to cast discredit on parliament and produce an uprising of the elementary forces. They have already precipitated an insipient strike in the industrial quarters of Moscow, and at Odessa the longshoremen have struck. The government's refusal to grant general amnesty to the political prisoners furnishes the proletariat organizations a powerful weapon, and they threaten that unless amnesty is proclaimed, to call a general strike as a preliminary to an armed uprising. The constant rumors of a reactionary coup d'état, the dispersal of parliament and the establishment of a dictatorship under General Trepoff add to the general excitement, and the Reich has appealed to the government to put an end to this disquieting report by an official denial.

TROUBLE IN MANCHURIA.

Japanese Merchants Are Accused of Being Greedy.

Washington.—Eastern mails bring news of friction between the English merchants and the Japanese officials, resulting from the difficulty experienced by the former in obtaining access to the markets of Manchuria.

It is charged that the Japanese seized the opportunity afforded by their military occupancy of the country to concentrate all of the trade in the hands of their own merchants, and that not only is the country glutted with goods brought in by the Japanese to a point which makes it practically impossible to find openings to European goods, but through their control of the transportation routes in Manchuria and Korea the Japanese officials are able to discriminate against traders of other nationalities.

In one place the Chinese themselves complain that the Japanese have built a bridge across one of the principal streams so low that it cannot longer be used by the Chinese boats, with the result that the traffic is diverted entirely to the Japanese owned railroad.

SAN DOMINGAN REVOLUTION.

Guayubin Captured and General Mango Killed.

Cape Haytien, Hayti.—News has reached here by messenger to the effect that the Santo Domingo revolutionists, commanded by Maurice Jimenez, have attacked Guayubin, in Santo Domingo, and killed General Mingo, the commander of the town, and then retired immediately into the interior.

Telegraphic communication between Monte Christi and Santiago de Los Caballeros, Santo Domingo, has been cut by the revolutionists, who have taken up arms in behalf of General Isidoro Jimenez, the former president of Santo Domingo. They have been joined by the partisans of General Morales, the predecessor of General Caceres as president of Santo Domingo.

Horrible Deed of Teamster.

San Francisco.—A woman lies unconscious at the city and county hospital with her skull fractured at the base of the brain; her face frightfully bruised and lacerated; an ugly scalp wound over her left eye, and her upper lip cut through to the jaw bone. Daniel Harding, a teamster, was caught by Policemen George F. Ewing and Frank Garcia in the act of attacking the unfortunate woman under the floor of the Terminal station near the county line, where he had dragged his victim, after rendering her unconscious.

Wanted to Buy Legislators.

Wabash, Ind.—Letters alleged to show guilt of C. A. Baker, under indictment for alleged legislative bribery while attempting to defeat the anti-cigarette bill, have been offered to Governor Hanly by Arthur L. Hughes, a member of the local board, if the governor would assume the immunity of Baker from prosecution. Some of the letters naively discuss the purchase price of certain legislators, putting the prices on their votes at from \$500 to \$1,500.

Selecting Burton's Successor.

Topeka, Kan.—Governor Hoch has decided to appoint a successor to Senator J. R. Burton just as soon as the latter resigns, and the indications now are that he will do so soon. State Senator J. N. Dolly, a close friend of W. R. Stubbs and R. N. Allen of Chanute, a close friend of the governor, are both here giving the governor the benefit of their advice on senatorial matters and putting in their best looks for W. R. Stubbs of Lawrence, J. L. Bristow is also a candidate.

LOVE FOR FISH LED TO DEATH

Three Japanese Are Drowned While Trying to Escape From Officers.

Had Been in the Habit of Dynamiting Fish, and Made a Break for Liberty After Being Placed Under Arrest, With Sad Results.

Boise, Ida.—W. W. Stephens, state game warden, reports the drowning of three Japanese in the north fork of the Snake river while attempting to escape from a fisherman who had arrested them for dynamiting fish.

It seems there are about 100 Japanese working on the Marysville road a short distance above St. Anthony. They like fish, and whenever they want some they slip out, drop a stick of dynamite into the stream and kill a large number. The practice of the Japanese became known to fishermen and plans were laid to catch them. Mr. Stephens arranged that any fisherman catching the Japs at work should hold them up until he could turn them over to a deputy warden.

The stream was watched for a long time before an opportunity came to make an example of the children of the mikado. Finally a fisherman caught six of them in the act of dynamiting fish. He promptly placed them under arrest, but the entire six made a dash for liberty, jumping into the river in their effort to escape. Three managed to get across, but the other three were carried down stream and drowned.

TRAGEDY IN COLORADO.

Man and Wife Found Dead, Both Having Been Shot.

Canon City, Colo.—The sound of two shots from the home of W. C. Baldwin has caused an investigation, resulting in finding the dead bodies of Baldwin and his wife. The body of Baldwin was lying on the floor, the head blown from the trunk, a shotgun lying near by. The wife's dead body was standing nearly upright against the wall, the head shattered by the gunshot wounds. The couple were married two months ago against parental objection. A coroner's investigation will be held to determine the cause of the tragedy.

Utah's Coney Island.

Saltair, the most popular of all of Utah's pleasure resorts, will be formally thrown open to the public for the season on Decoration day, and, judging from the bookings already made, this will be one of the most profitable seasons in the history of the resort. Manager J. E. Langford has been busy during all spring looking after the many improvements, and has everything in shipshape for the opening. Among the new attractions for the young folks and the young-old folks are the new eight-roller coaster and the old mill. Thousands from outside towns visit Saltair during the season, and no tourist has completed his visit to Utah until he has floated upon the bosom of the Great Salt Lake at Saltair.

Added Misery for Refugees.

San Francisco.—A heavy rainstorm swept over this city and surrounding country Saturday night and Sunday, damaging truck gardens, flooding basements and bringing much discomfort and misery to the refugees camped out on low ground.

STILL IN GOOD HEALTH.

Eighty-seventh Birthday of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe.

Boston.—Mrs. Julia Ward Howe passed her eighty-seventh birthday at her home here Sunday in good health. Surrounded by her children, the venerable authoress observed the anniversary with a little family party. During the day she was the recipient of flowers, other gifts and congratulations from organizations with which she has been prominently identified and from many personal friends.

Lid on in Louisville.

Louisville, Ky.—Scores of corner pumps with the handles removed and signs derisively announcing "Closed," it's sinful to drink on Sunday," brought home to early-rising householders in many sections of the city the fact that Louisville on Sunday was for the first time in many years as dry as Tophet. As the day wore on it was seen that the state and city authorities were in dead earnest about putting on the lid. All the saloons were compelled to remain closed, and the ball games were stopped.

A Big Loan Necessary.

Tokio.—Vice Admiral Togo, General Kuroki and Marquis Ito, with a suite of admirals and generals, will start shortly on a tour of inspection in Manchuria. This important mission is supposed to be the outcome of the recent state council at which, though the details have not become known, it is understood weighty decisions were reached respecting the Manchurian railways, which are intended to be permanently run by the government. This naturally will necessitate the floating of another big loan.

QUARRELED OVER TENTS FOUGHT WITH PICKAXES

Fatal Affray Occurs in San Francisco as Result of Two Men Claiming the Same Camping Ground.

San Francisco.—Refugees in dispute over tent rights dueling with pickaxes in Columbia square. The battle was to be to the death, and ended only when Edward Killeine fell mortally wounded by William Bell. Killeine lay upon the rain-soaked sward, the blood gushing from his wounds. All the ribs on the right side were fractured, and the point-like point of Bell's pick had pierced his side, puncturing the lung. Bell was arrested as he stood over Killeine's prostrate form with his weapon poised for another blow. No charge will be placed against him until the outcome of the affray is known, but the physicians think Killeine will surely die. The battle arose when the rain came on and each man claimed the right to move his tent to a plot of ground higher than the rest and affording dry flooring during the storm. Each seized a pick to drive the other from the coveted site, and half the other campers realized that there was a quarrel. The steel points of the picks were clashing as each combatant swung for a vital spot. Before they quarreled it is said the men were the best of friends.

MEATS MUST BE INSPECTED.

Senate Adds Important Amendment to Agricultural Bill.

Washington.—The senate on Friday passed the agricultural appropriation bill, carrying an appropriation of \$7,500,000, and without a word of debate or an objection from any source, added to it as an amendment the bill providing for an inspection of fresh meats intended for domestic consumption. The provision is along the general lines of the law for the inspection of meats intended to be shipped abroad, and the work is delegated to the bureau of animal industry. It requires that acceptable meats shall be labeled, and authorizes the destruction of condemned products. It also authorizes inspection of all animals before they enter the packing houses; requires that those establishments shall be maintained in a sanitary condition; gives the inspectors access to all departments of them, and forbids interstate commerce in fresh meats which are not marked by the inspectors. The expense of the inspection is to be borne by the owners, and a fine of \$10,000 and imprisonment for two years are fixed as penalties for violation of the provision.

DATTO ALI ALIVE.

And New Insurrection Is Being Planned in the Philippines.

Manila.—Datto Ali, the leading Mindanao insurgent, who was reported killed October 22 last, is declared on good authority to be still alive. It is said he is now with Dattos Enok and Mopak, organizing an insurrection between Davao and Dutaan. They are said to be buying rifles and ammunition. The sultan of Ganassi confirms this report and declares that he has communicated with Datto Ali, who at the time he was reported killed escaped, though desperately wounded. Ali was rolled in mosquito netting and bedding and taken away by some of his followers. A man resembling Ali was buried by Captain McCoy, who headed the column sent against him.

Future Queen Welcomed.

Madrid.—The arrival of the future queen of Spain at the Pardo palace Friday evening was the signal for a magnificent ovation, testifying Spain's welcome to her new sovereign. At 6:30 o'clock the royal train reached the outskirts of the palace park. Here a special station had been prepared, consisting of a majestic floral arch, beneath which was suspended a huge crown of red roses and yellow jonquils. Enormous crowds of people of Madrid had assembled outside the palace gates, the government giving the freest rein to popular curiosity. The passage of the royal party was greeted with tumultuous cheering and cries of "Long live the queen," "Long live the king" and "Long live Spain."

Cassatt Is Coming Home.

Philadelphia.—Announcement was made at the Pennsylvania railroad office in this city that President Cassatt sailed for home from Cherbourg, France, on Friday morning. Mr. Cassatt went abroad for a holiday trip on May 9. It is believed that the revelations made before the interstate commerce commission are responsible for Mr. Cassatt's sudden change of plans. He is expected to reach this country Saturday, June 2.

Attacked by Anarchists.

Warsaw, Russian Poland.—A brief but bloody encounter took place here Friday afternoon at the Industrial savings bank, which was attacked by a band of anarchists. The latter, with revolvers in their hands, ordered the clerks and customers present to hold up their hands. The chief clerk promptly drew a revolver and fired at the intruders. This was the signal for a brisk fusillade, during which two of the customers were killed and two customers, five clerks and one of the anarchists were wounded.

HEADED FOR THE PACIFIC COAST

Moffat Road Secures Terminal Facilities in San Francisco Suburb

In Securing Franchise, Mr. Moffat's Representatives Promised to Have Road Completed Within Next Two Years.

Denver, Colo.—Working through W. J. Morgan, D. H. Moffat has just secured from the Alameda board of trustees a right of way and extensive terminal facilities at Bay Farm island, a suburb of San Francisco.

This confirms the many predictions that the Denver, Northwestern & Pacific, known locally as the Moffat road, is to be built straight through to the Pacific coast as rapidly as men and money can do it.

The concessions obtained at San Francisco include the right to build a pier 4,000 feet long from Bay Farm island into San Francisco bay, and dredge out a channel 1,300 feet wide, where the largest ocean steamers can unload.

Ships for freight barges are to be built at the foot of Second street. In securing the franchise, Mr. Moffat's representatives promised to have everything in working order in two years.

HOPE FOR POLITICAL PRISONERS

Amnesty Will Be Proclaimed by Czar on May 27.

St. Petersburg.—The long-awaited political amnesty will be proclaimed May 27, the anniversary of the coronation of Emperor Nicholas II. The exact scope of the measure has not as yet been determined. It will be limited, but the constitutional democratic party is prepared, though grudgingly, to accept the act of grace from which the terrorists are excluded, recognizing, though not publicly, that the government is not altogether unjustified in refusing to set at large men who will be as ready as they have been in the past to shoot down or to blow to pieces hated representatives of authority.

BRYAN FOR PRESIDENT.

Democrats of an Ohio District Declare for Nebraskan.

Lima, O.—William J. Bryan was endorsed for president here by the Democratic judicial convention of the Sixth district of northwestern Ohio. The resolutions, which were adopted with cheering, declare that Bryan would have been nominated and elected in 1904 had the trusts not stolen the nomination from him, and that the national Democracy will nominate him in 1908 by acclamation.

Time for Action Has Arrived.

Washington.—The senate on Tuesday devoted the greater part of the session to consideration of the immigration bill, but before it was taken up Senator McCumber made a personal statement contradicting an article printed in the New York Tribune that the railroad rate bill had been so amended at his instance as to render it ineffective. Previous to that time also the senate adopted a resolution directing the committee on privileges and elections to consider the course to be pursued in the case of Senator Burton.

Consul Stuart Murdered.

Washington.—Russian officials are making every possible effort to capture the murderers of W. H. Stuart, American vice consul at Batoum, Russia, according to dispatches received by the state department from Ambassador Meyer at St. Petersburg, and Thomas E. Heenan, the American consul at Odessa. Mr. Meyer's dispatch says the reasons for the attack on Mr. Stuart are still unknown. The murder took place at Makhindjauri, and Mr. Stuart died an hour after the attack upon him.

Explosion of Steam Pipe.

New York.—A score of men employed in the engine and dynamo rooms of the New York glucose company's plant in Shadyside, N. J., were more or less injured by the explosion of a big steam pipe. The roof of the building was blown off and the wreckage caught fire. Some of the thirty men who were at work in the building had narrow escapes from death, but were taken out of the blazing ruins by their fellow laborers from adjoining buildings belonging to the same company.

Italy to Be Excluded.

Vienna.—According to the Zeit, Lieutenant General Palatyn, chief of the Russian general staff, is coming to Vienna in June to study the organization of the Austro-Hungarian army. The newspaper goes on to connect this with that of Lieutenant General Count Von Moltke, chief of the general staff of the German army, and suggests that it is highly important as pointing to a military convention between Russia, Germany and Austria, from which Italy will be excluded.

NOVEL RELIEF PLAN

ILLINOIS EDITOR ORIGINATES "EGG DAY" FOR 'FRISCO.

Ten Thousand Dozen Speedily Contributed by Wives and Daughters of Jersey County Farmers.

Jerseyville, Ill.—As a result of "egg day" in this city more than 12,000 eggs or 1,000 dozen have been collected for the San Francisco people who were made homeless and penniless as a result of the earthquake and fire.

"Egg day" was originated by J. M. Page, editor of the Jersey County Democrat, who appealed to the citizens, especially the wives of the farmers of Jersey county, to contribute a few dozens of eggs to the Frisco sufferers. May 5 was designated as "egg day" and the generosity of Jersey county residents was never shown to better advantage. It was a real "egg day" and this town appeared to be "egged" from every section of the county.

The eggs are all fresh and will be the most nutritious food that can be supplied those who are lying in San Francisco hospitals from injuries received in connection with the disaster. Jerseyville's contribution will be forwarded at once.

Mr. Page, the originator of this novel scheme, urges that similar contributions be made by other towns throughout Illinois, Missouri and Kansas, the three great egg-producing states. He thinks it would be one of the best relief schemes that could be adopted, because nothing better to eat could be offered than pure fresh country eggs. He believes it would be a good thing for his fellow country editors to adopt the same idea and have an "egg day" in every county seat.

"The success of our 'egg day,'" said Mr. Page, "was accomplished apparently without any trouble whatever. I telephoned to a large number of the farmers' wives and daughters of the county and to the different villages and they willingly and gladly contributed these eggs."

"Although the number is not very great, still if all the towns in Illinois, Missouri and Kansas would do the same millions of fresh eggs would be brought to the hospitals of San Francisco, Santa Rosa and San Jose and other places where they are so badly needed for the sick and wounded. It would be very little trouble to establish 'egg day' in any of the country towns of this state. It would be one of the best relief acts that could be done for the many sufferers."

NOTE IN MARE'S MANE.

Maine Man Finds Communication from Missouri Woman on Purchased Animal.

Lewiston, Me.—Securely fastened by wires under the mane of a handsome bay mare, one of a carload of western horses lately arrived in Lewiston for George P. Curtis, was a sealed letter, apparently written by a woman, the former owner of the horse. The note was discovered by the hostler while he was grooming the animal. The letter read as follows:

"Meadville, Mo., Feb. 24, 1906. Dear Sir: To the man who buys this mare: Her name is Nina. She is a kind and splendid work horse, and I trust some one will get her who will be kind to her and feed her well, for she was a pet of mine. Would you be so kind, if you get this note, to drop me a few lines to let me know where she is and now far from home she is? I am very anxious to know. Hoping to hear from you, please."

"Mrs. J. D. McMillen."

Mr. Curtis is the proprietor of a livery stable. He will acknowledge the receipt of Mrs. McMillen's note.

Twins Twice Within One Year.

Mrs. John Dison, of Grand View, a small town over the line in Edgar county, Illinois, holds the record of this community for living up to President Roosevelt's anti-race suicide ideas. Eleven months ago Mrs. Dison became the mother of twins, both of which are alive and thriving. A few days ago her husband and friends were surprised when she brought two more little ones into the world under favorable conditions. The latest arrivals give promise of being as hearty and long-lived as their predecessors. The father is a young farmer, who says he has not time from his corn planting to advise the president of the distinction of his family.

War on Tuberculosis.

Strong measures against tuberculosis have been taken by the local government board of Scotland, writes Consul Fleming from Edinburgh. It is put in the class of infectious diseases, and a campaign of disinfection is inaugurated.

Alive Under 2,100-Pound Roller.

Charles E., the 12-year-old son of David Dries, of near Kutztown, Pa., was engaged in rolling land with a roller the other day, when the horse took fright and ran away. The boy fell, and the 2,100-pound roller passed over him, but the ground was soft and he got out of it alive.

Ten Shipments Cease.

Owing to the disturbed conditions in Russia the tea shipments to that country from Calcutta have almost ceased. Small quantities were sent to Riga and Batoum, but much below the average of previous years.